

THE SHERIFF RETURNS.

After a Brief Season of Gaities Whirl at Lake Tahoe.

Yesterday Sheriff Kinney returned from his summer season of recreation and social gaiety at the Lake. His haunts are the fashionable south end where wealth and beauty congregate, yet at times, when satiated with the mad whirl of society, he lays aside his broadcloth dress suit and garnet studded shirt front and betakes himself to the recesses of the forest to commune with nature and indulge in a mental rest. Bear hunting, rural husking bees and rustic hops on the barn floor, are his staple enjoyments at these times. The contrast between William Kinney, Sheriff of the County of Ormsby, (by grace of Nat Dow), when at a Tallac hop swinging the diamond encrusted beauties of San Francisco and plain Bill Kinney at a barn floor break down in Strawberry valley, is well worth a days travel to witness.

But he is the man for the occasion. With the charming and imitable versatility which marks the man of constabulary dignity, he adapts himself gracefully to his surroundings. At Tallac or Tahoe Tavern he exudes the graces of fashionable environments, as if born and raised among the bow ton of Nob Hill. Flitting from these scenes of dreamy Strauss waltzes and Marsegni intermezcos he returns his dress suit to the colored waiter, tosses him a half dollar and is away with the dawn to seek new pastures amid the wilds of Alpine country, where the milkmaids wade in the dew bejeweled grass with bare feet and short frocks and the old ranchers talk politics at the post office grocery amid the fumes of corn cob pipes and the hum of the misquito brigade.

Once in the midst of these surroundings Bill drops the language of the Smart Set and sinks into the slang riddled and profane vernacular of the cross roads. Clad in a wollet shirt, destitute of collar, his pants hitched up by one suspender, his face a stubble field and his boots thick with Alpine dust, he immediately becomes one of the boys again, drinking the same red liker and parking of the same humble fare.

At one time his social duties caused a considerable reduction of girth and the Sheriff became alarmed at the prospect of losing his rotund proportions. A diet of Hunters Rye, (taken at regular intervals and some few between) soon restored his figure to the old lines.

He is now "Back from yon mountains" and ready to resume his arduous duties as Sheriff of Ormsby and Baliff of the Nevada Supreme Court.

Woman Still Missing.

Mrs. Patrick Walsh, the woman who escaped from the insane hospital nearly two weeks ago is still missing. The search for her continues.

Date Postponed.

The business men's, brokers' and mining mens special to Tonopah, Goldfield and other mining camps has been postponed to September 14. By the time the new railroad to Goldfield will be completed and the party taken over the entire new Nevada line.

Commissioners Meeting.

All parties having claims against the county will file same on or before Saturday, Sept. 2, as the county Commissionery will meet on that day and allow all just claims against said county.

H. B. VAN ETTEN, Clerk.

Notice to Hunters.

Notice is hereby given that any person found hunting without a permit on the premises owned by Theodore Winters, will be prosecuted. A limited number of permits will be sold at \$5 for the season or 50 cents for one day.

A. C. WINTERS.

Hosiery 9 cents per pair.

Don't overlook the fact that aside from the large and varied stock of shoes carried at Ed. Burlington, He has a quantity of broken sizes of good quality. These you can buy very cheap and are always bargains.

A carload of Reno sports will take in the Britt-Nelson fight which has been arranged to take place at Colton, Cal., on the 9th of next month. The fight will be limited to fifty rounds and will be for a \$20,000 purse, winner take all, and a \$10,000 side bet.

UNIVERSITY OPENS.

Heaviest Attendance Registered in Years.

Yesterday was the opening day of the college year at the University. The new students met with the faculty commission on admission and credentials at 9 a. m. Examinations for admission will be held today.

According to indications at the present time the attendance at the university will be larger this year than that of any previous year. New students are flocking Renoward from all parts of the State and California. The freshman class will probably be the largest in the history of the university. So much activity and so many new faces have not been seen on the opening day in several years. Rooms in Lincoln hall and Manzanita hall will be at a premium this year, a condition which has not existed for the past few years.—Journal.

Shoots Sheepman.

ELKO, Nevada, August 30.—Daniel Wallace, a prominent cattleman, shot and perhaps fatally wounded a Mexican foreman employed on the George Williams range.

The two men quarreled near Coon Creek in the northern part of Elko county and the Mexican is said to have started to draw his gun.

Wallace was too quick for him and shot him through the body. Wallace started to Deeth to give himself up. Sheriff Clark has gone to Deeth to get Wallace.

More Trouble.

Charles Guillet of Genoa, who went hunting for his eloping wife and used his gun in an attempt to kill a hotel proprietor, had a preliminary hearing yesterday and was bound over to appear before the grand jury on a charge of assault with intent to kill.

To Lease Alpha Ground.

A special meeting of the stock holders of the Alpha Con. Mining company has been called for September 11 to vote on a proposition to lease that portion of the mine from the surface to a depth of 600 feet below the collar of the Alpha shaft upon such terms and conditions as may be deemed proper.—Chronicle.

Excursion Rates.

The V. & T. has made a rate of one fare (\$3) for the round trip from Virginia to Reno, on account of the California State Fair. The rate from Reno to Sacramento and return will be \$9.40. In effect August 31st to September 9th, inclusive. Tickets limited to September 12th.

Contracts Let.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Aug. 31.—A contract was let today to the Utah Construction Company of Ogden, which graded the Hazen cut-off and which has large interests under the government for canal construction, to grade the Western Pacific railroad from Ogden to the eastern Nevada line and from the Western Nevada line to Oroville, California. Under the terms of the contract work will begin within a very few weeks and be completed without delay.

Fossil hunters have found in Nevada the remains of a prehistoric sea serpent which was forty feet long and had a big nose. Perhaps the "Carson footprints" were not a sagebrush joke after all.—S. F. News Letter.

FIRST THROUGH TRAIN.

Hazen Cut-off Used by Fast Through Train.

Last night the first through train over the Hazen cut-off left Tonopah. It was a freight and will reach San Francisco some time tomorrow. This marks the beginning of traffic over the new road. From now on through freights will be run daily over the cut-off to and from Tonopah. There will be an average of about four freight trains each day out of the mining camp and about the same number from San Francisco. All traffic over the new road will be under the direction of the Oregon Short Line and orders will be sent out from the dispatchers office at that point.

A special wire will be put in from Hazen to Fort Churchill and a separate line will be established between Tonopah and Hazen to be used in transmitting train orders. The Carson and Colorado and the Nevada & California road will also be controlled by the Oregon Short Line. A new time card governing trains over these roads and over the cutoff will be issued by the Short Line Company today.

The first passenger train to run over the new line will leave San Francisco today and will arrive in Tonopah tomorrow. This train is what is now known as Reno Local No. 14. Two trains will be run over the road daily, namely trains 13 and 14.

The new road is now practically completed. A little ballasting remains to be done yet, but this will not interfere with the running of trains.—Journal.

BULLFROG WILL BOOM.

Salt Lake Man Declares That Past Recreos Will be Shattered.

Ed. H. Mead, secretary of the Montgomery Mountain Mining Company, came in from Goldfield again yesterday and will probably remain at home for several days this time. Mr. Mead states that everything is moving along splendidly at Goldfield and in the Bullfrog region and the latter, he predicts, will enjoy a boom compared with which all previous exhibitions in that line will fade into insignificance.

Notwithstanding the hot summer weather he says a great deal of work has been going on in the Bullfrog district, and results will be making new history with the return of cooler weather. Everyone of the principal mines is growing bigger and richer as development work progresses and, with the completion of the railroad from Tonopah to Goldfield, the shipping rates and time consumed in getting ore out of the Bullfrog country will be materially reduced.

Another thing that is going to have a material bearing on the region is the fact that there is now an abundance of water at Bullfrog since the completion of the big pipe-line enterprise. Any quantity more can and will be developed and placed ready for use during the next few months and then will come the big milling plants to convert the lower grade ores into high grade products.

At the Montgomery Mountain company's property, Mr. Mead states, the main tunnel is still being pushed right ahead. The objective point has not been reached as yet, but good news from the property can be looked for during the early fall.—Salt Lake Herald.

THAT SUNSET OIL STOCK.

How the Investment is Panning Out in Tonopah.

The numerous stockholders who invested in Sunset Oil and who later on forced the company to reinvest in Tonopah will doubtless be glad to know that the investment made in Tonopah is panning out quite well and that the stocks will soon be sold and the proceeds divided among the stockholders of Sunset Oil. The constant agitation made by the Appeal has brought about some results. The following investments were made by George Nixon and Mr. Blakesley. The balance sheet shows as follows:

Name of Stock	Purchase Price	Sale Price
1000 Montana-Tonopah	\$1 00	\$3 00
1000 Belmont	1 00	1 60
5000 Boston-Tonopah	25	—
5000 Cash Boy	25	20
1000 Midway	30	1 35

The stocks cost in the aggregate \$5,500 and are now selling for \$7,250 an advance of \$1,750.

The stockholders think that Nixon and Blakesley made a mistake in buying 5000 shares in the Boston-Tonopah as it is now worthless. Cash Boy, however is reported as likely to come out and do well, but no encouragement is held out so far as Boston-Tonopah is concerned. In the near future the stocks will be sold and the Appeal will keep the stockholders posted. Attorney General Sweeney has been retained by the Sunset stockholders to represent them and they asked him to bring a suit for an accounting. It is probable, however, that in the near future the matter will be settled up without a law suit.

Nearly Electrocuted.

RENO, August 31.—C. F. Adams, an employe on the electric line between this city and Sparks was nearly electrocuted today. While fixing a high tension wire he came in contact with twenty thousand volts. The shock badly burned one arm and his back, while his shoes were literally torn from his feet. He was taken to the hospital and his condition is serious.

Tug-of-War Challenge.

Sparks has a team which people of the railroad town believe can out-pull any bunch of strong men in the State in a tug-of-war contest, and will challenge the winners of the pull at Carson.

J. Jurgensen, an employe at the Floriston paper mill was caught in the machinery yesterday and instantly killed.

Flossie Lester, a Reno woman who took twenty antiseptic tablets in an effort to end her life last week, died from the effects of the poison at 2:30 o'clock yesterday morning.

The large railroad shops at Sparks are to be increased in capacity and about double the number of mechanics employed.

Wasnoe Typographical Union is the oldest union in the State and has been selected to head the Labor Day parade in Carson. It was organized June 28, 1863.

Howard H. Douglass who has for the last nine months been superintendent of the West Tonopah mine, died early yesterday morning, after an illness of only a few days.—Sun.

Hon. W. E. Sharon has given \$20 in addition to the regular prize for the tug-of-war at Carson. This makes a prize of \$70 to the winning team.

The Western Pacific has bought the Nevada-California-Oregon railroad running from Reno to Madeline, California, and intends to extend the road to Portland Oregon.

There is absolutely positive assurance that Goldfield will have within a very short time a chlorination plant for the treatment of ores from its mines, to be erected by capitalists at a cost of at least half a million dollars.

The comic papers will no longer be able to present their patrons with Roosevelt and the big stick, two six shooters and a bowie knife between his teeth. He must be represented as sporting the white wings of peace, and presiding at a tea party at which all nations are invited. Southern and western callers must lay aside their guns when they call at the White House.

James Bird, one of the oldest and most widely known employes of the Southern Pacific, formerly stationed at Reno, but now employed in the company's round house at Winnemucca, has been placed on the retired list of the company.

Ed. J. Walsh

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